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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

No.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SAN JOSE DIVISION

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

INDICTMENT

**COUNT ONE:** 18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(2)(A) & 2252A(b)(1) - Attempted Receipt of Child Pornography

**COUNT TWO:** 18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) - Possession of Matters Containing Any Visual Depiction of a Minor Engaging in Sexually Explicit Conduct

*A true bill.*

*Ramona D. Wilk*

Foreperson

Filed in open court this 19 day of December

A.D. 2007

*Darlene V. Trumbull*

United States Magistrate Judge

*10/*  
~~Bail. \$~~ summons 1/10/08

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<u>41</u>	
DISTRICT COURT CRIMINAL CASE PROCESSING	

1 SCOTT N. SCHOOLS (SCBN 9990)  
2 United States Attorney  
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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

15 Defendant.  
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VIOLATIONS:

18 18 U.S.C. §§ 2252A(a)(2)(A) &  
19 2252A(b)(1)- Attempted Receipt of Child  
20 Pornography; 18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) -  
21 Possession of Matters Containing Any  
22 Visual Depiction of a Minor Engaging in  
23 Sexually Explicit Conduct; 18 U.S.C. §§  
24 2253(a)(1) & (a)(3)- Criminal Forfeiture

SAN JOSE VENUE

INDICTMENT

20 The Grand Jury charges:

21 COUNT ONE: (18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(2)(A) & 2252A(b)(1) – Attempted Receipt of Materials  
22 Constituting or Containing Child Pornography)

23 1. On or about October 25, 2006, in the Northern District of California, the defendant

24 EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

25 did knowingly and intentionally attempt to receive child pornography that had been mailed, and  
26 shipped and transported in interstate and foreign commerce by any means, including by  
27 computer, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2252A(a)(2)(A) and  
28 2252A(b)(1).

INDICTMENT

1 COUNT TWO: (18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) - Possession of Matters Containing Any Visual  
2 Depiction of a Minor Engaging in Sexually Explicit Conduct)

3 2. On or about March 1, 2007, in the Northern District of California, the defendant

4 EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

5 did knowingly and intentionally possess certain matter, to wit, images, which visual depictions  
6 had been mailed and transported in interstate or foreign commerce by any means, including by  
7 computer, the producing of which visual images involved the use of one and more minors  
8 engaging in sexually explicit conduct and which visual depictions were of such conduct, in  
9 violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252(a)(4)(B).

10 FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS: (18 U.S.C. §§ 2253(a)(1) and (a)(3) - Criminal Forfeiture)

11 3. The allegations contained in Counts One and Two of this Indictment are hereby realleged  
12 and by this reference fully incorporated herein for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to  
13 Title 18, United States Code, Section 2253.

14 4. Upon conviction of the offenses alleged in Counts One and Two above, or either of  
15 them, the defendant

16 EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

17 shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2253(a)(1)  
18 and (a)(3) all visual depictions described in Title 18, United States Code Section 2252, and all  
19 property, real or personal, used or intended to be used to commit or promote the commission of  
20 the offenses of conviction, including a Power Spec CPU, serial number 870506020113, and a  
21 Western Digital model WD400 hard drive, serial #WMAAT5068357, that was seized from the

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1 defendant's residence.

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3 DATED: 12/19/07

A TRUE BILL.

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5 Ramona H. Willy  
6 FOREPERSON

7 SCOTT N. SCHOOLS  
8 United States Attorney

9 Matthew A. Parrella  
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11 Chief, San Jose Office

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AO 257 (Rev. 6/78)

**DEFENDANT INFORMATION RELATIVE TO A CRIMINAL ACTION - IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT**BY: ☐ COMPLAINT ☐ INFORMATION ☒ INDICTMENT  
☐ SUPERSEDING**OFFENSE CHARGED**18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(2)(A) & 2252A(b)(1) -  
Attempted Receipt of Child Pornography;  
18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(4)(B) - Possession of  
Matters Containing Any Visual Depiction of a  
Minor Engaging in Sexually Explicit Conduct☐ Petty  
☐ Minor  
☐ Misdemeanor  
☒ Felony**PENALTY:**Count 1: 20 years imprisonment, \$250,000 fine, 3 years  
supervised release, \$100 special assessment fee  
Count 2: 10 years imprisonment; \$250,000 fine, 3 years  
supervised release, \$100 special assessment fee**PROCEEDING**

Name of Complainant Agency, or Person (&amp; Title, if any)

Wade Luders, FBI

☐ person is awaiting trial in another Federal or State  
Court, give name of court☐ this person/proceeding is transferred from another  
district per (circle one) FRCrP 20, 21 or 40. Show  
District☐ this is a re prosecution of  
charges previously dismissed  
which were dismissed on  
motion of:☐ U.S. Att'y ☐ Defense☐ this prosecution relates to a  
pending case involving this same  
defendant☐ prior proceedings or appearance(s)  
before U.S. Magistrate regarding  
this defendant were recorded underSHOW  
DOCKET NO.MAGISTRATE  
CASE NO.Name and Office of Person  
Furnishing Information on  
THIS FORM

SCOTT N. SCHOOLS

☒ U.S. Att'y ☐ Other U.S. AgencyName of Asst. U.S. Att'y  
(if assigned)

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Name of District Court, and/or Judge/Magistrate Location  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

DEFENDANT - U.S.

EDGAR THOMAS RENSEL

DISTRICT COURT NUMBER

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**DEFENDANT****IS NOT IN CUSTODY**

- 1) ☒ Has not been arrested, pending outcome this proceeding.  
If not detained give date any prior summons  
was served on above charges
- 2) ☐ Is a Fugitive
- 3) ☐ Is on Bail or Release from (show District)

**IS IN CUSTODY**

- 4) ☐ On this charge
- 5) ☐ On another conviction
- 6) ☐ Awaiting trial on other charges } ☐ Fed'l ☐ State

If answer to (6) is "Yes", show name of institution

Has detainer  
been filed? ☐ Yes ☐ NoIf "Yes"  
give date  
filed**DATE OF  
ARREST**

Month/Day/Year

Or... If Arresting Agency &amp; Warrant were not

**DATE TRANSFERRED  
TO U.S. CUSTODY**

Month/Day/Year

☐ This report amends AO 257 previously submitted**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS****PROCESS:**☒ SUMMONS ☐ NO PROCESS\* ☐ WARRANT Bail Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

If Summons, complete following:

☒ Arraignment ☒ Initial Appearance

Defendant Address:

\*Where defendant previously apprehended on complaint, no new summons  
or warrant needed, since Magistrate has scheduled arraignment

716 Ames Avenue, Palo Alto, CA 94303

Date/Time: January 10, 2008 at 9:30am

Before Judge: Howard R. Lloyd

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_